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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by Iling a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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Applicants:	Vincent et al.) Attorney reference: '26271-02
Serial No.:	09/853,240)
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Title:	Method and System For Conducting Business Transactions Through)))
	Multiple and Diverse Distribution and Product Order Channels)

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby respond to the Notice To Filing Corrected Application Papers mailed July 11, 2001.

This response is timely filed.

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